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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION: Hideki YOSHIOKA, et al.

SERIAL NO.: 09/778,097

GAU: 2623

FILED: February 7, 2001

EXAMINER: AHMED, S.

FOR: ULTRASONIC PICTURE PROCESSING METHOD AND ULTRASONIC PICTURE
PROCESSING APPARATUS

LETTER SUBMITTING REPLACEMENT DRAWING SHEET(S)

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Alexandria, VA 22313

SIR:

Responsive to the below indicated communication, the following drawing sheets are submitted
herewith:

1 Replacement Drawing Sheets

_____ New Drawing Sheets

Official Action dated March 29, 2004.

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Notice of Allowance/Issue Fee dated _____

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Other dated _____

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The changes and/or modifications made include the following:

The objection to Fig. 53 in the Official Action dated March 29, 2004 has been corrected.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.



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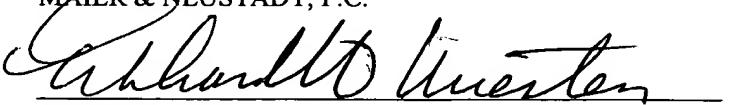
No additional fee is required
 Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
 Additional documents filed herewith: Letter Submitting Replacement Drawing Sheet(s)
Replacement Drawing (1)

The Fee has been calculated as shown below:

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